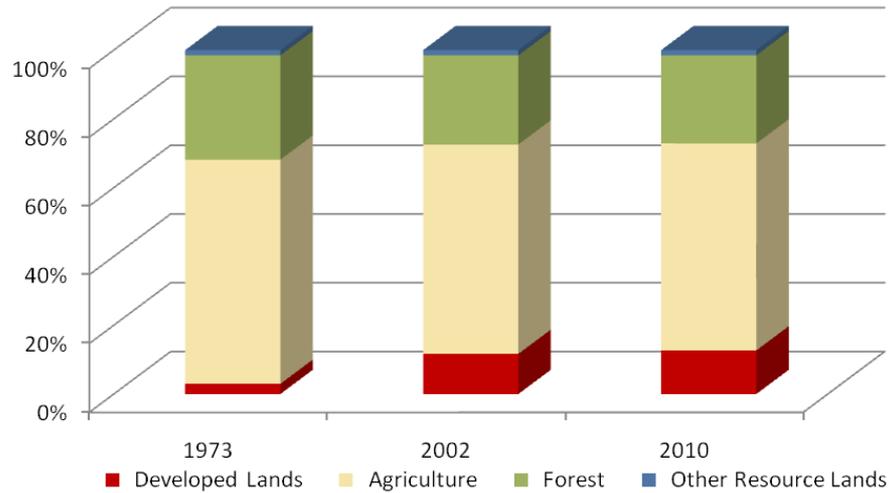


Queen Anne's County

	Land Use in Acres		Land Use Change	
	2002 ³ Acres	2010 ² Acres	2002-2010 Acres	Percent
Very Low Density Residential ¹	8,407	9,043	635	7.6%
Low Density Residential	10,091	11,013	922	9.1%
Medium Density Residential	3,852	4,219	367	9.5%
High Density Residential	278	307	29	10.3%
Commercial	1,075	1,280	205	19.1%
Industrial	242	288	47	19.3%
Other Developed Lands/ Institutional/Transportation ¹	3,826	3,992	166	4.3%
Total Developed Lands⁵	27,772	30,142	2,370	8.5%
Agriculture	144,703	143,057	-1,646	-1.1%
Forest	61,560	60,873	-688	-1.1%
Extractive/Barren/Bare	0	0	0	0.0%
Wetland	3,650	3,613	-37	-1.0%
Total Resource Lands⁵	209,913	207,543	-2,371	-1.1%
Total Land	237,685	237,685		
Water	88,167	88,167		

	Land Use in Acres			Land Use Change
	1973 ⁴	2002 ³	2010 ^{1,2}	1973-2010 Acres
All Residential	5,374	22,629	24,581	19,207
All Non-Residential	1,686	5,143	5,561	3,875
Total Developed Lands⁵	7,060	27,772	30,142	23,082
Total Resource Lands⁵	230,789	209,913	207,543	-23,246
Total Land	237,849	237,685	237,685	
Water	88,003	88,167	88,167	

Land Use Change 1973 - 2010



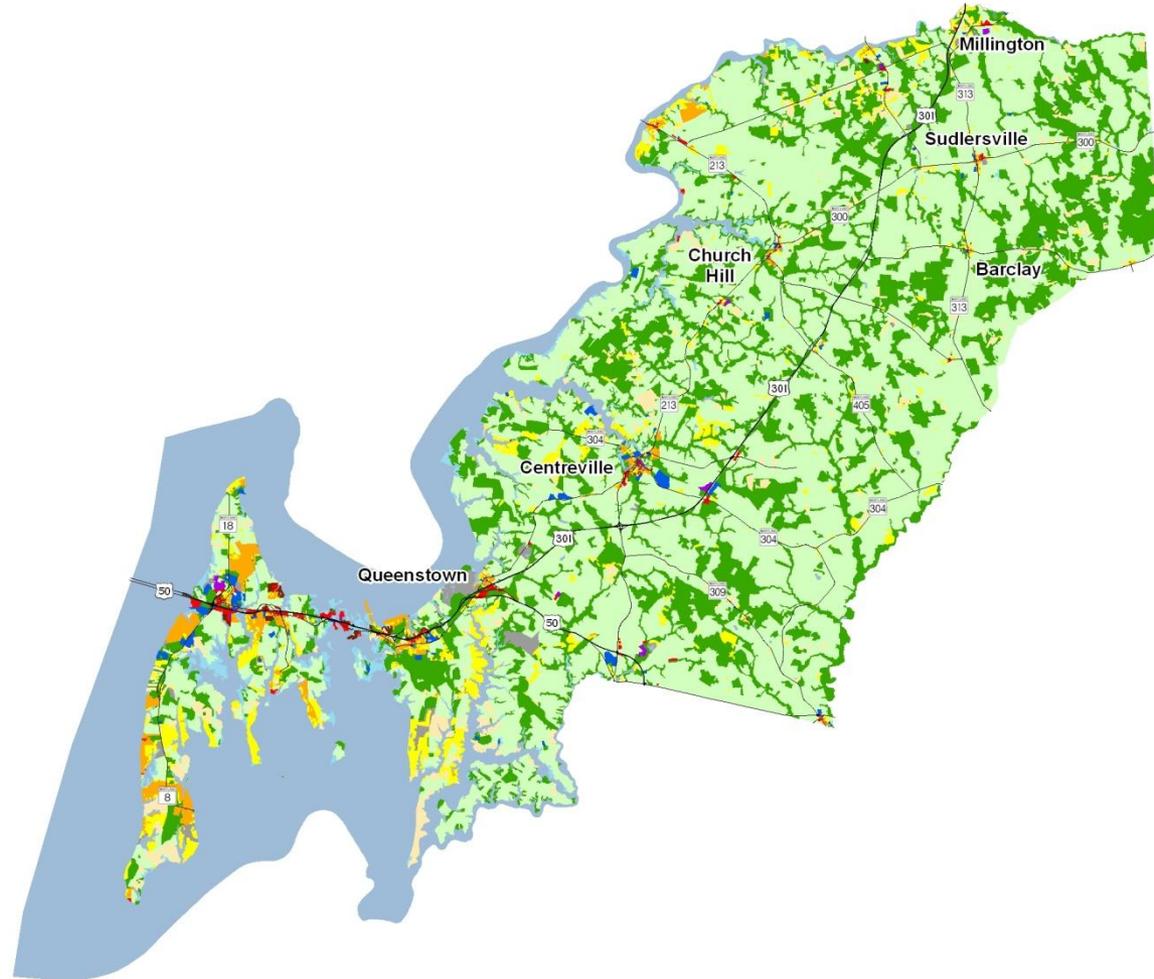
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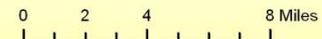
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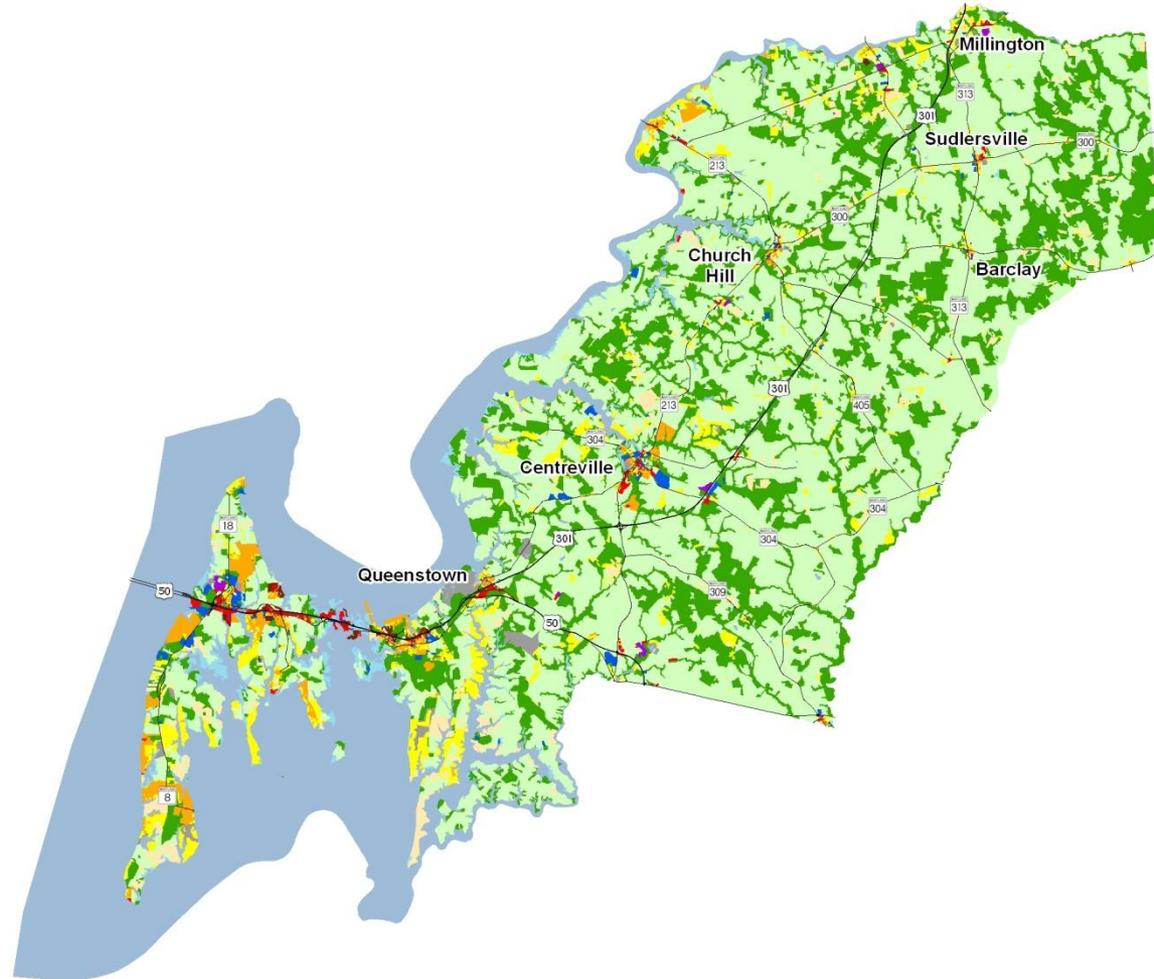
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Queen Annes County 2002 Land Use/Land Cover

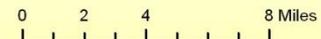
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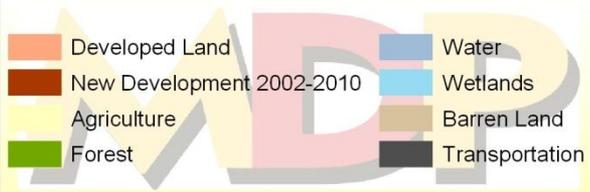
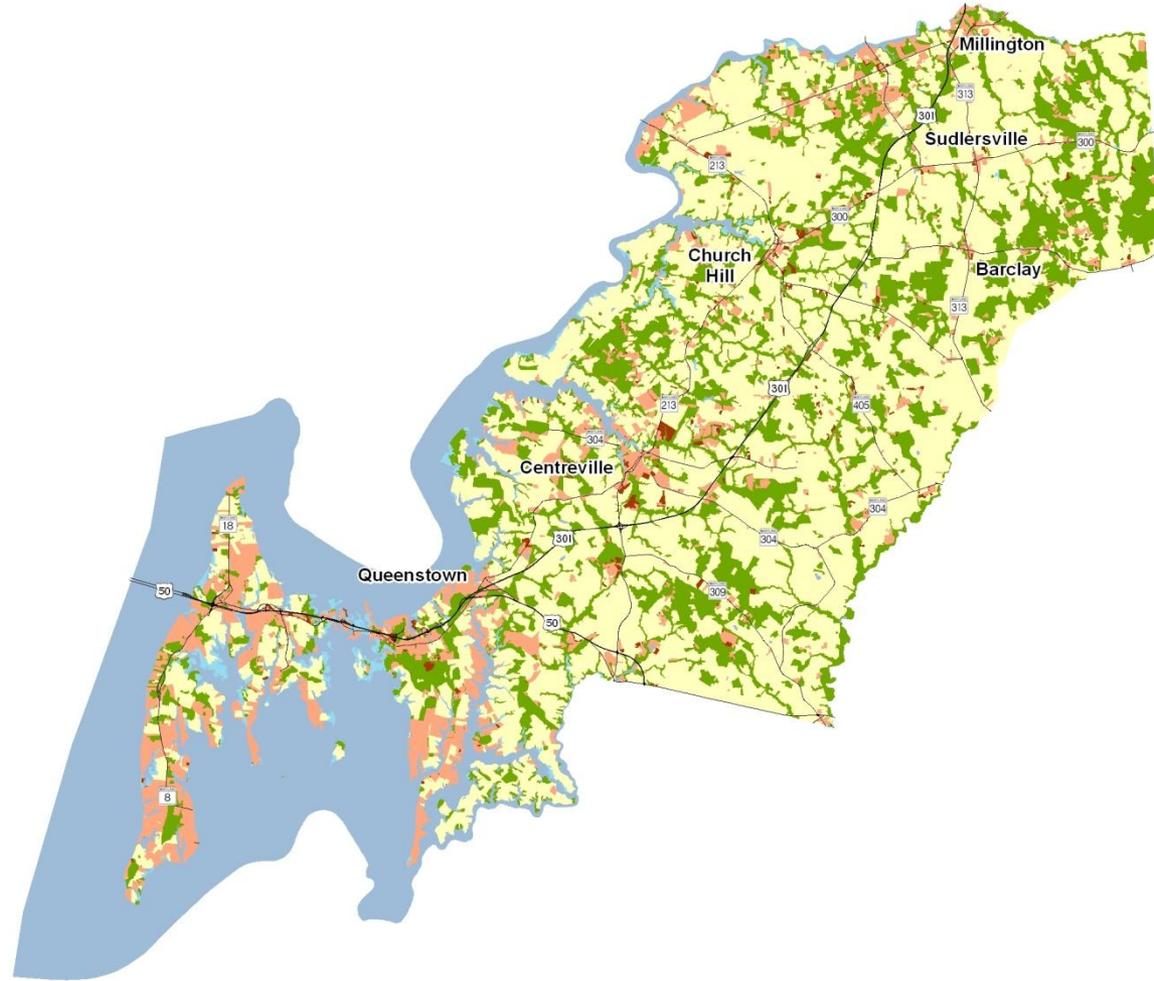




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